

Welcome

The Black Knights - Welcome, I am an experienced level 20 Commander from State 801 who quit to start again in order to form this Alliance. Having witnessed other Alliances and learned from their mistakes I aim to develop a lethal and Dominant Alliance that will take the Presidency of this State. This Alliance will be based on Discipline, Respect, Common protection and Tactical Aggression. We will be organised, merciless and ruthlessly efficient in our approach. Defence and Attacks will be collective and coordinated by my Combat Directors under my direction (holding the rank of Viscount / Viscountess (3)) when Attacking on behalf of the Alliance. Individual Commanders may mount attacks for personal gain, however, Alliance action takes precedence. Level 4 Commanders (Earls) will for my Council to act on my behalf and direct activity on my behalf when I am not online. The Alliance Rules are listed below. If you don't agree to them, you're welcome to leave.

Alliance Rules (READ CAREFULLY)

1. There are only 100 places, and these will be given to active players who continue to grow and contribute, both by level and combat power. Those with the lowest levels/power will be removed from the Alliance in favour of those with more.
2. As an Alliance member you are expected to participate. Help others, Rally and fight to protect your allies and contribute to the Alliance via donations.
3. Don't attack other allies, doing so will prompt your expulsion and you will be branded an enemy of the Alliance.
4. Once an Alliance member, move your Camp near the Alliance centre (so far as possible) This will help with attacks, support and Collective Defence.
5. [Article 5 - Collective Defence] 'An attack on one constitutes an attack on all'. Like NATO, this sits at the heart of the Alliance. If an alliance member is in the process of being attacked you are duty bound to send reinforcements. (See rule 4 for practical implementation)
6. If you are attacked send me 'The_Black_Duke' a message detailing who attacked you and their co-ordinates. I will, at my earliest convenience, go and KICK THEIR ARSES in to the middle of next week for you.
7. The ranking system has 5 levels that carry a title you are welcome and encouraged to use to mark your status amongst allies; you are encouraged to amend you profile names accordingly. The ranks are as follows (In ascending order):
 - Level 1 - Commander (No Title)
 - Level 2 - Baron / Baroness (Baron / Baroness) [Bar]
 - Level 3 - Viscount / Viscountess (Viscount / Viscountess) [Vic]
 - Level 4 - Earl (Lord / Lady) [Lord / Lady]
 - Level 5 - Duke (Duke / Duchess)

When addressing a player superior in rank via message you are to use the appropriate marks of respect appropriate to their rank.

8. There are limited spaces as the ranks increase, I therefore reserve the right to promote or demote depending on Alliance participation and strength.
9. Promotion and occupation of a given rank is directly related to your Camp Level, Combat Power and Support of the Alliance. If you are overtaken, you may be demoted.
10. If you are demoted, you are stripped of your rank and are no longer entitled to use the given title. If you have changed your name to use the title it is your responsibility to remove the prefix. Failure to do so will result in removal from the Alliance. Persistent misuse of a title will brand you an enemy of the Alliance.

11. Alliance members are expected to make regular donations to remain in the Alliance. A small donation each day is appropriate. The top three donors will receive rewards. To donate go into the Alliance menu and go to Technology.

12. Always 'Help'; it costs you nothing.

10. As an Alliance the aim is to fight for presidency of the state. WHEN we achieve this aim the strongest and most loyal Allies will be invited to occupy the high offices of state.

11. Any questions just ask. If you need help just ask. If you're attacked let me know, I will bring swift retribution against any enemy that dare attack us.

STAY STRONG - STAY SAFE

The Black Duke